

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of :
David S. GARVEY et al. :
Serial No. unassigned : Group Art Unit: unassigned
Filed: herewith :
For: NITRIC OXIDE RELEASING PYRUVATE COMPOUNDS, COMPOSITIONS AND
METHODS OF USE

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This Preliminary Amendment is being filed concurrently with the above-referenced application. The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted.

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